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Berhard LETTMANN et al.

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And Use Thereof

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This is a request for reconsideration of the patent term adjustment indicated in the Notice of Allowance that was mailed on November 18, 2004.

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Below is the Statement of the Correct Patent Term Adjustment: Basis(es) under §1.702 (37 C.F.R. §1.705(b)(2)(i) and (ii).

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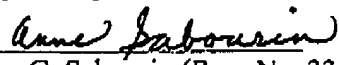
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Because the error was not on the part of Applicants, Applicants respectfully request that the above petition fee be refunded.

If there are any questions, the undersigned would welcome a telephone call.

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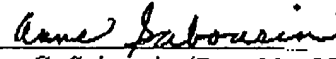
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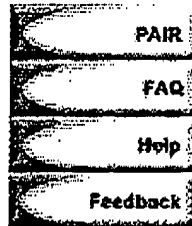
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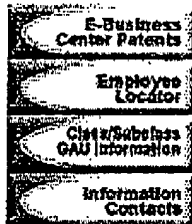
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